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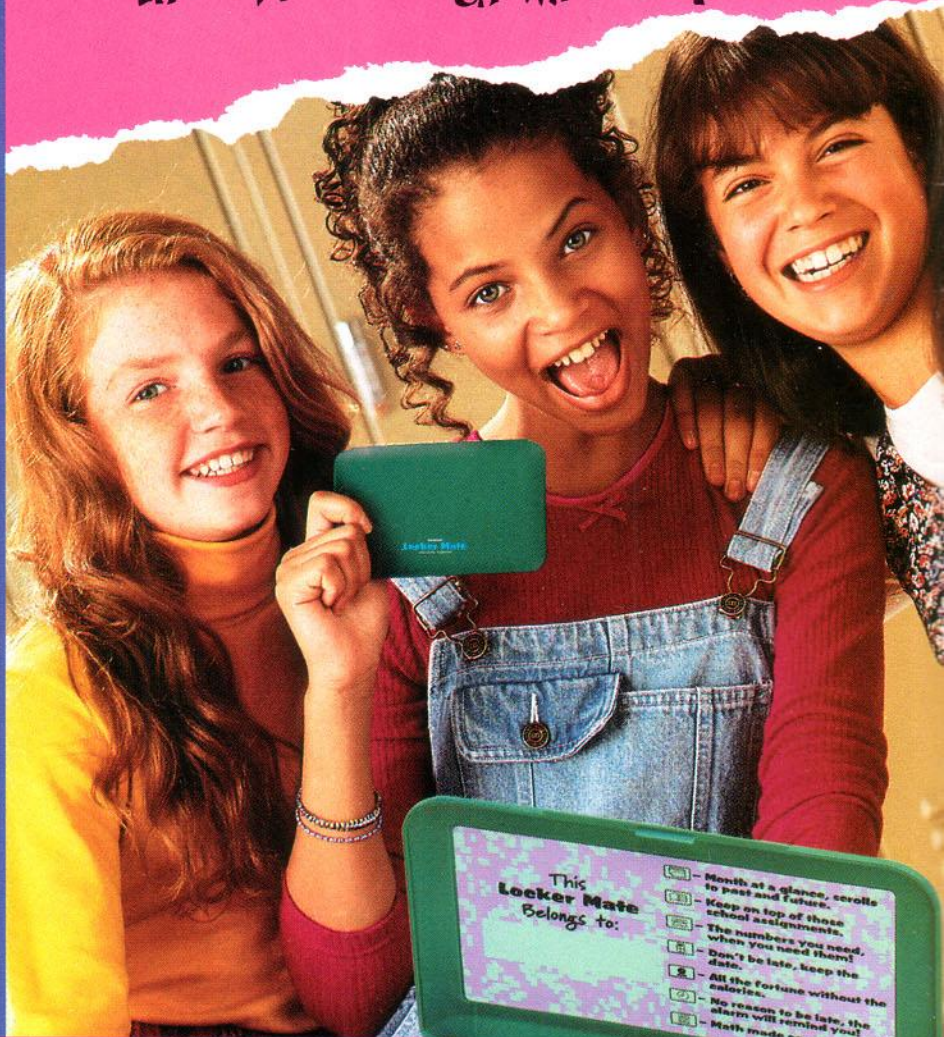


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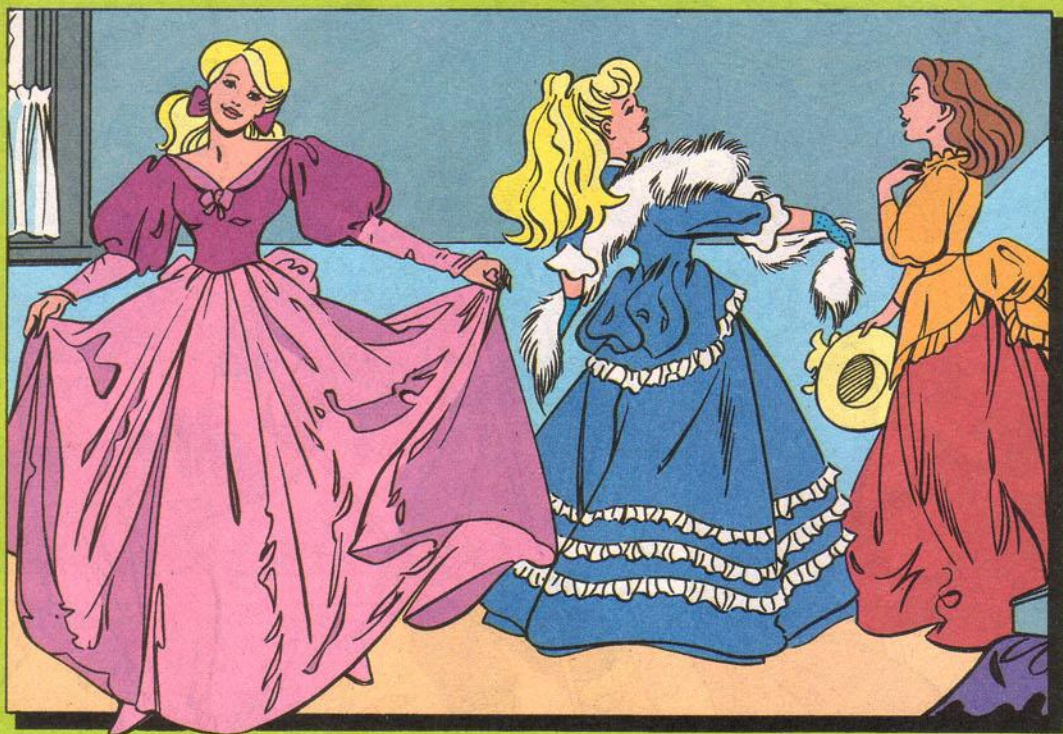
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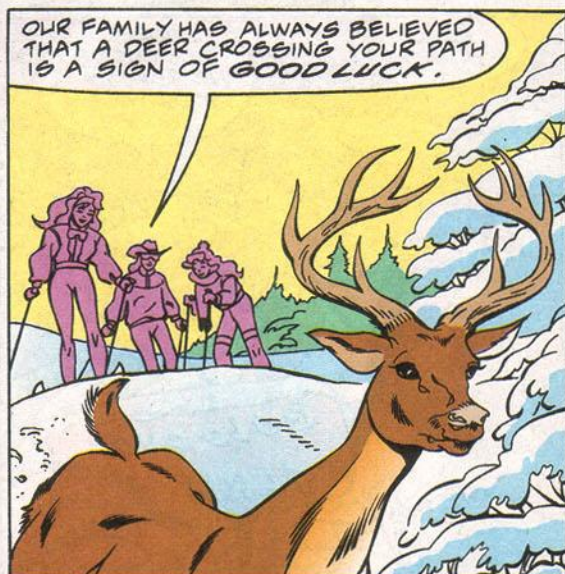
YOU'RE WELCOME, BARBIE. SKIPPER AND I HAVE BEEN PEN PALS FOR SUCH A LONG TIME, I FEEL LIKE WE'VE ALREADY MET.

ISN'T THIS A WONDERFUL MOUNTAIN?! SOMETIMES IT'S SO QUIET, IT SEEMS AS THOUGH I'M THE ONLY ONE UP HERE.

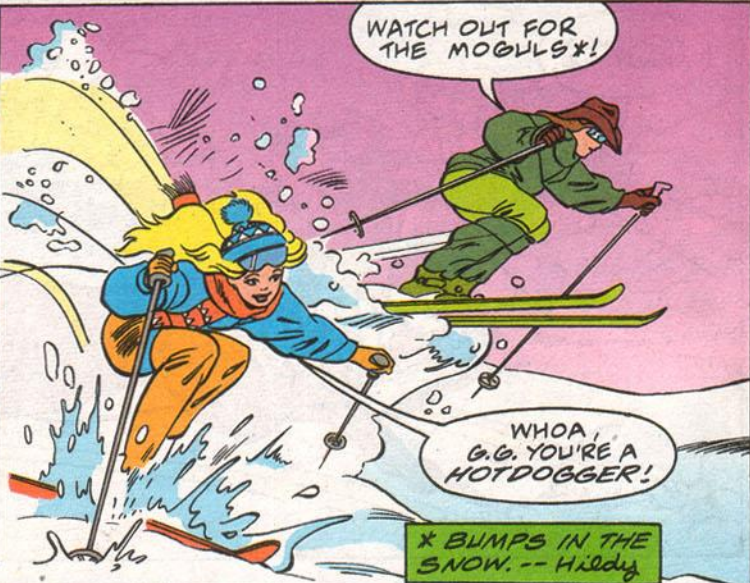
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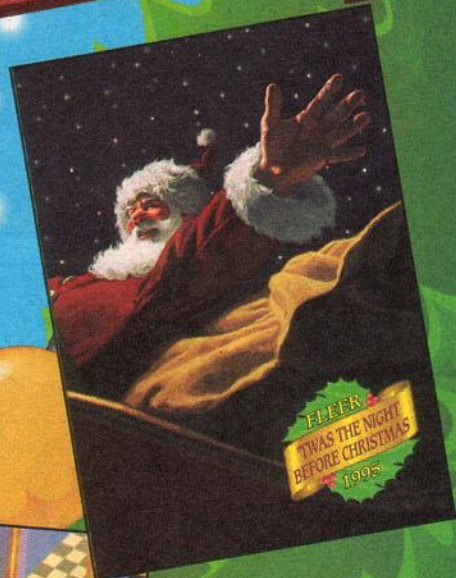
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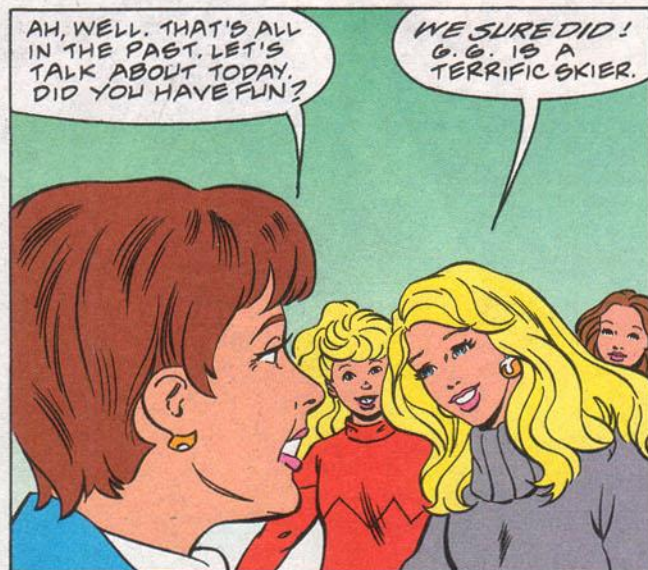
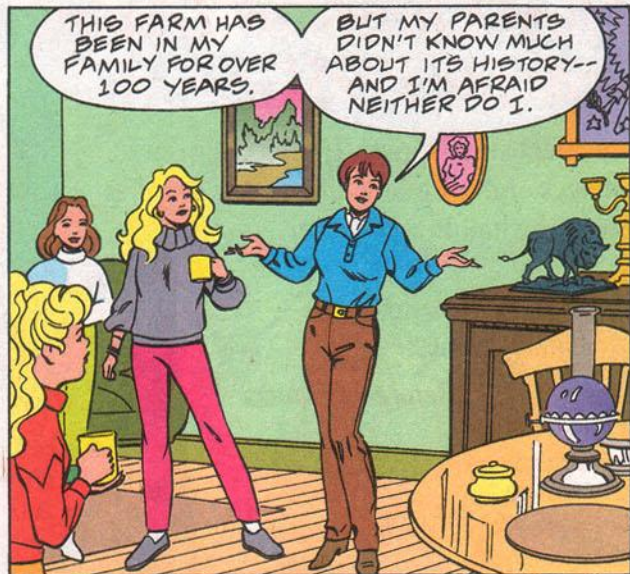
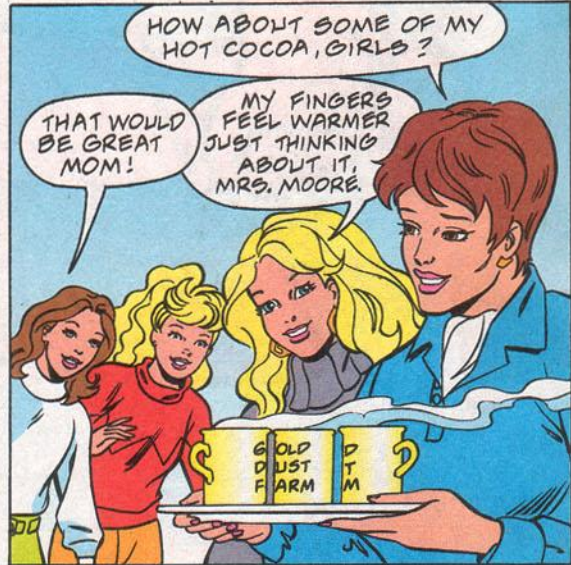
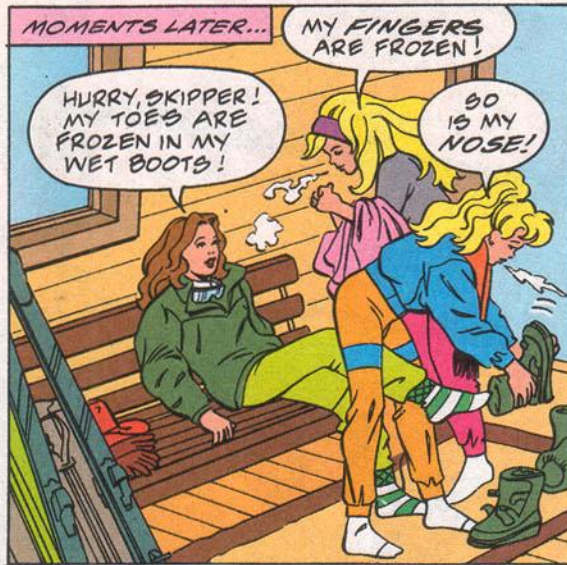
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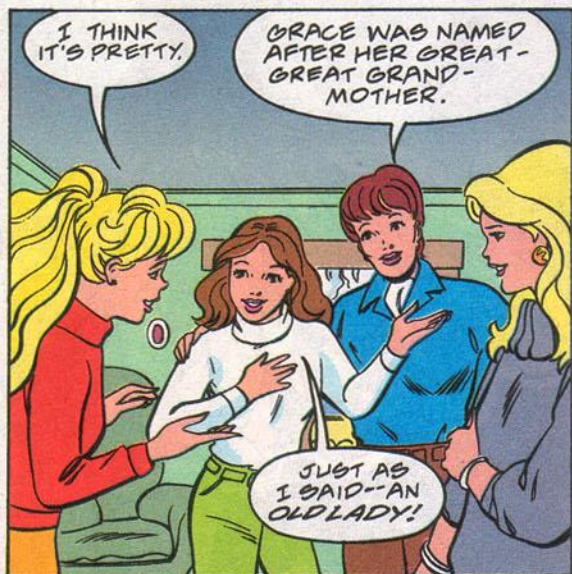
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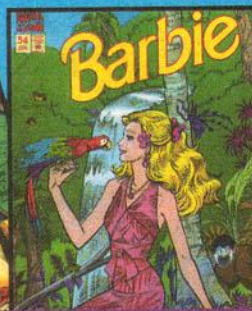






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the taste  
of peanut  
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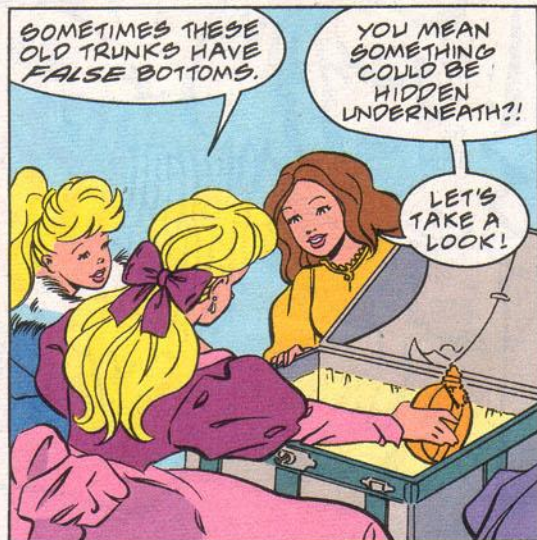
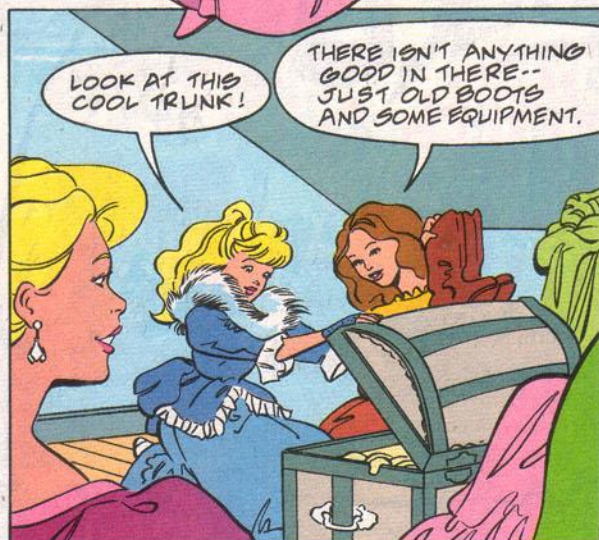
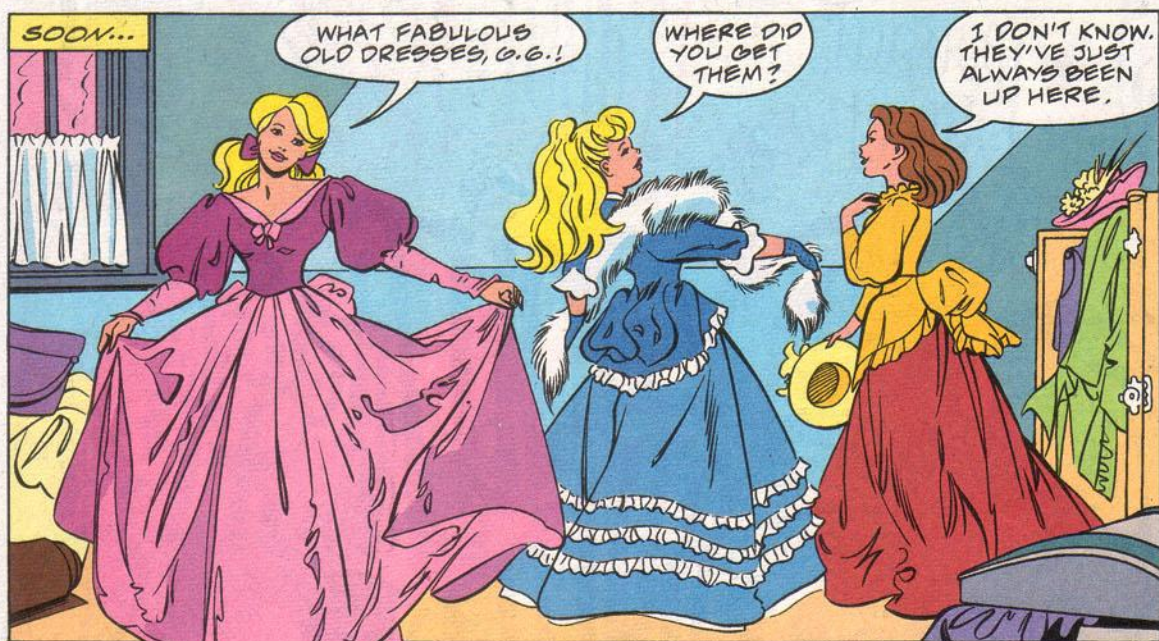
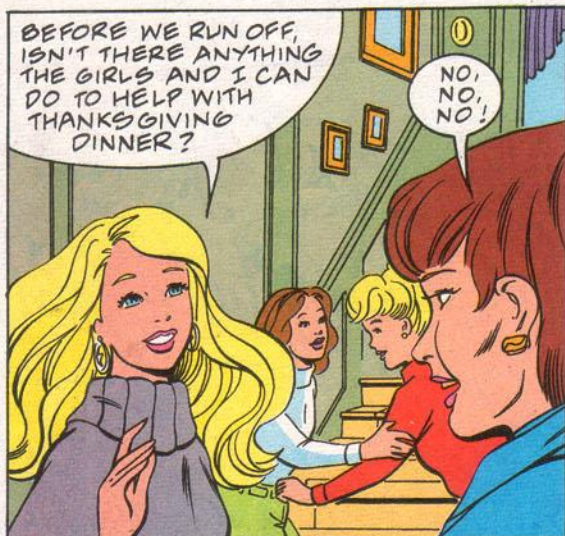
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the Crunch that screams



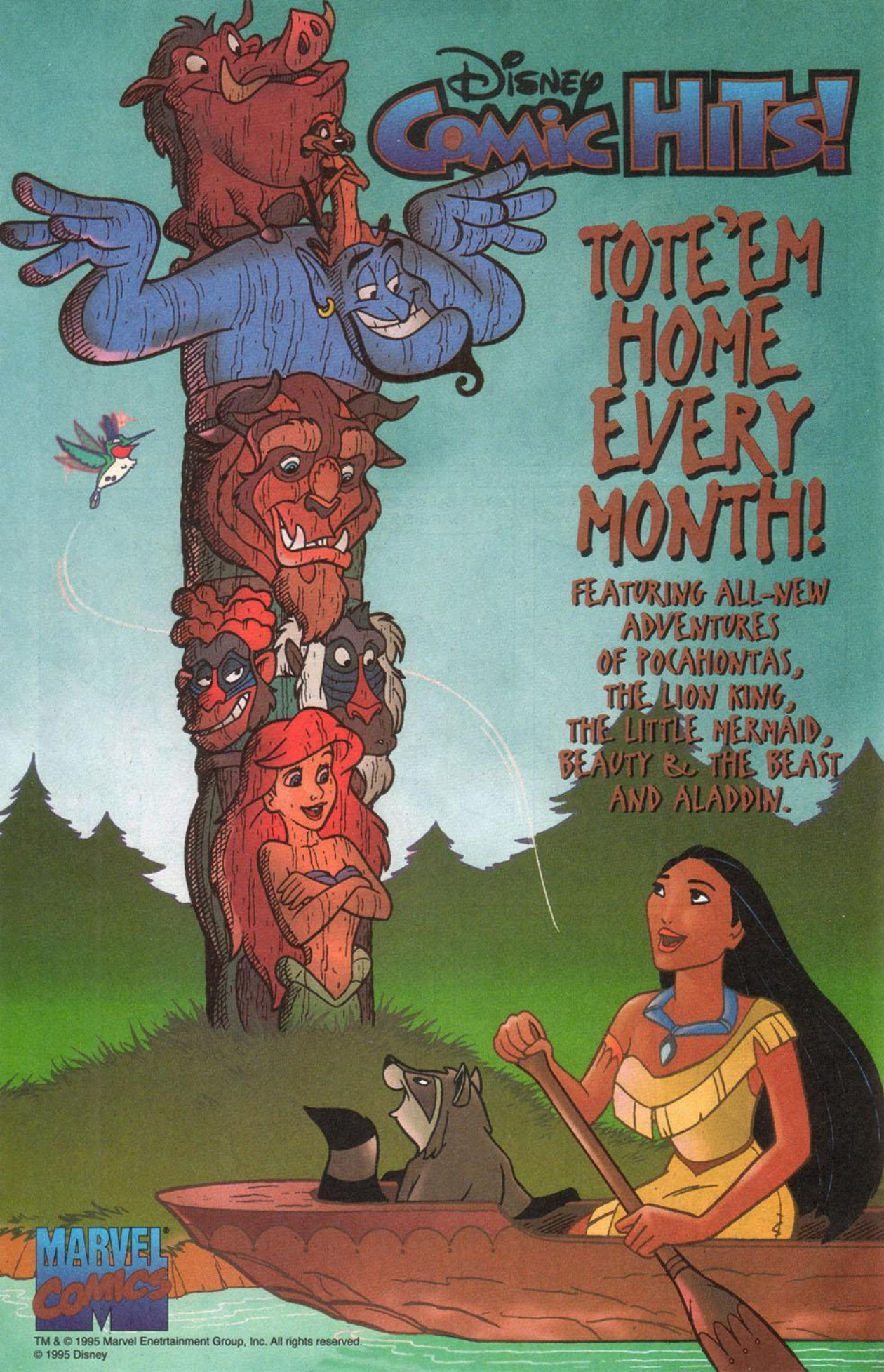












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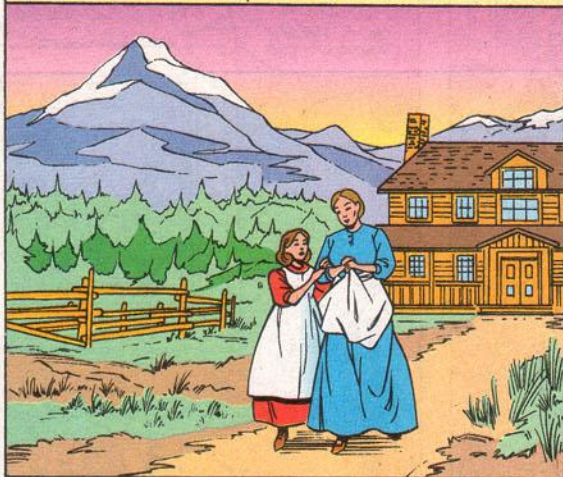
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BEAUTY & THE BEAST  
AND ALADDIN.

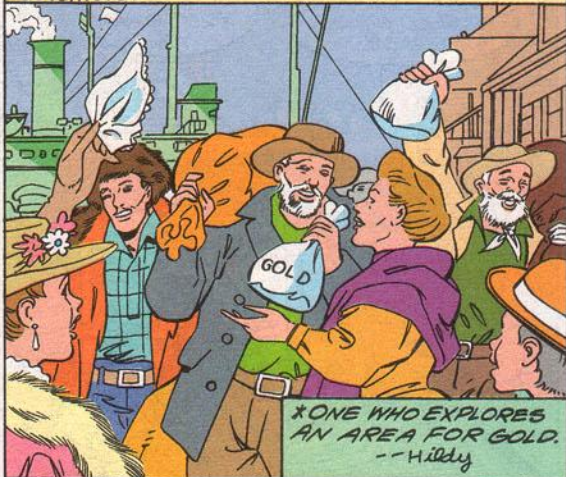
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"...Our crops failed this year. The bank wants the money they lent us. But we don't have it. I fear they will take our farm."



"A ship from Alaska has docked. The prospectors \* have arrived loaded with gold! What a great adventure!"

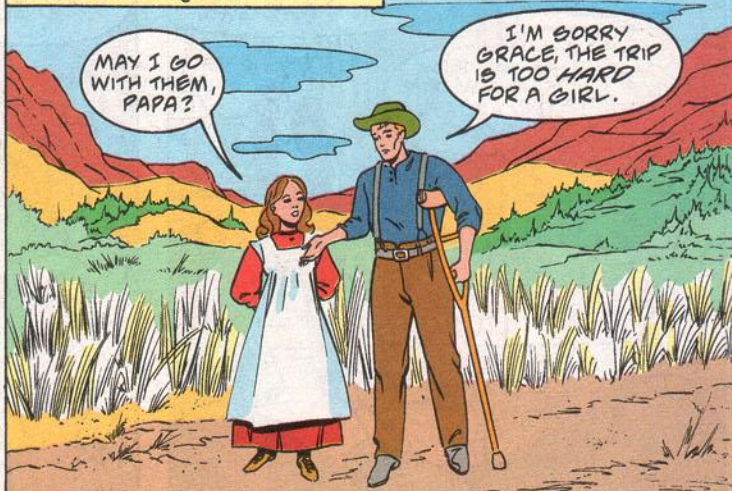


\*ONE WHO EXPLORES AN AREA FOR GOLD.  
--Hildy

"My neighbors are sailing to Alaska to seek their fortunes. If only I could go with them..."

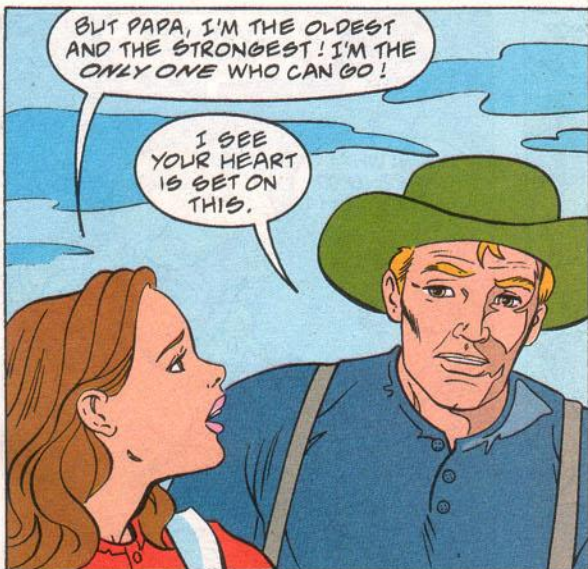


"Great news! My neighbors could use an extra hand." They've invited me to go!"



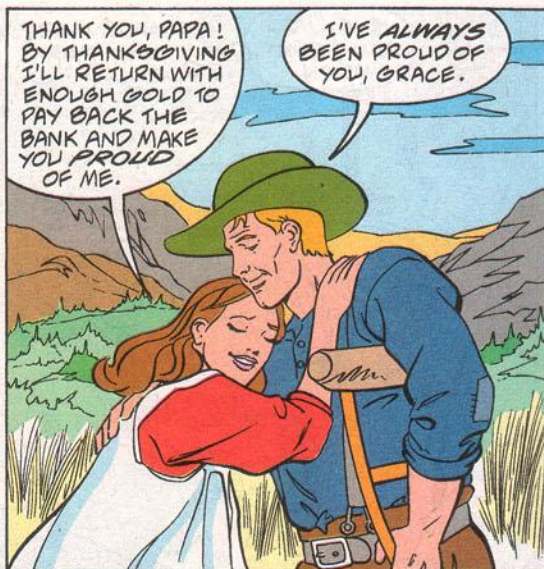
BUT PAPA, I'M THE OLDEST AND THE STRONGEST! I'M THE ONLY ONE WHO CAN GO!

I SEE YOUR HEART IS SET ON THIS.



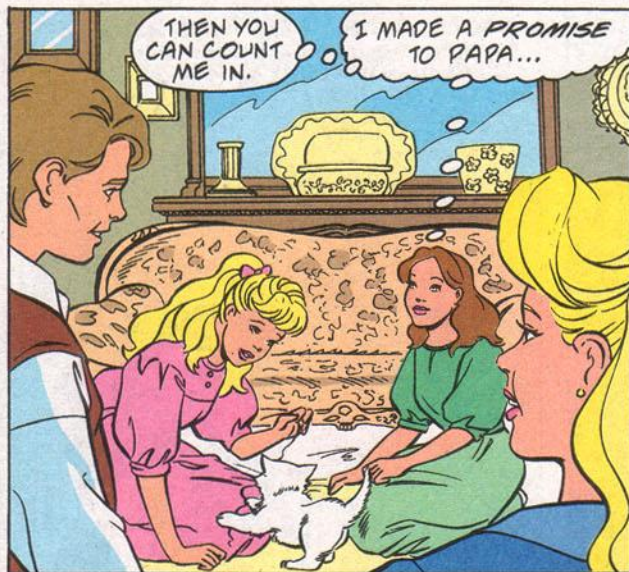
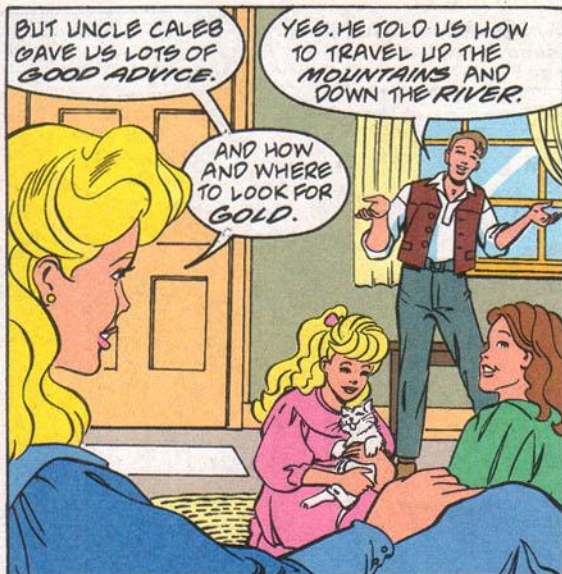
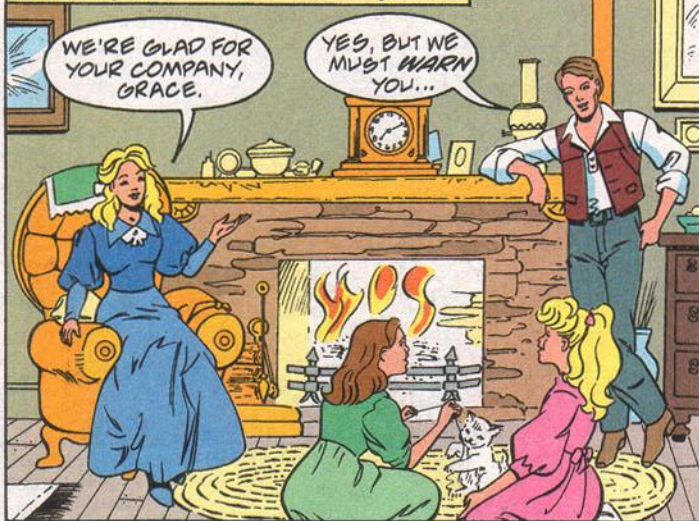
THANK YOU, PAPA! BY THANKSGIVING I'LL RETURN WITH ENOUGH GOLD TO PAY BACK THE BANK AND MAKE YOU PROUD OF ME.

I'VE ALWAYS BEEN PROUD OF YOU, GRACE.





"That night, I met with the neighbors."





# Golden Girl

## PART II: RUSHING FOR GOLD

"April 27th... We left on a steamship bound for Alaska..."

WHAT A FIERCE STORM, GRACE! COME BELOW WITH THE OTHERS!

I'D RATHER BE UP HERE IN THE FRESH AIR THAN BELOW WITH THE ANIMALS AND SEASICK PASSENGERS.



WE CAN STAY UP HERE AS LONG AS IT'S SAFE, GRACE.

BUT, HANG ON TIGHT! IT'S A WILD WIND!

YES, ISN'T IT EXCITING?! I CAN'T WAIT TO WRITE ABOUT IT IN MY DIARY!



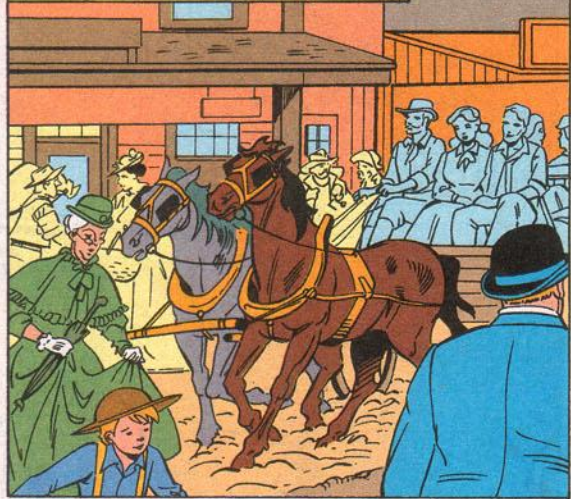
The storm blew over by the next morning..."



"We soon landed in Alaska to begin our summer adventure. We loaded our food and shelter supplies into a wagon."



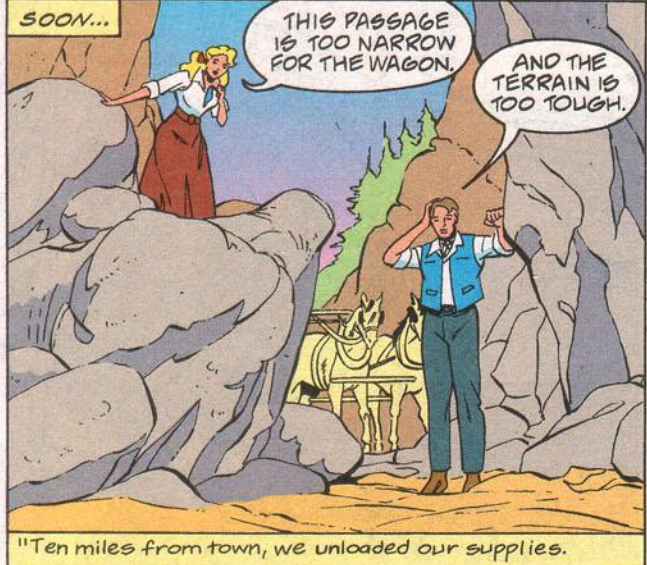
"Then we headed through the tiny port town, knee-deep in mud!"



"The outskirts of town were crowded with prospectors' tents."

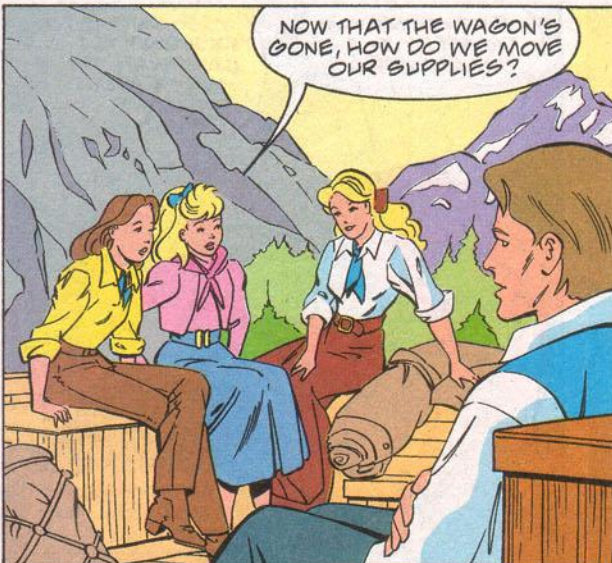


SOON...



"Ten miles from town, we unloaded our supplies."

NOW THAT THE WAGON'S GONE, HOW DO WE MOVE OUR SUPPLIES?



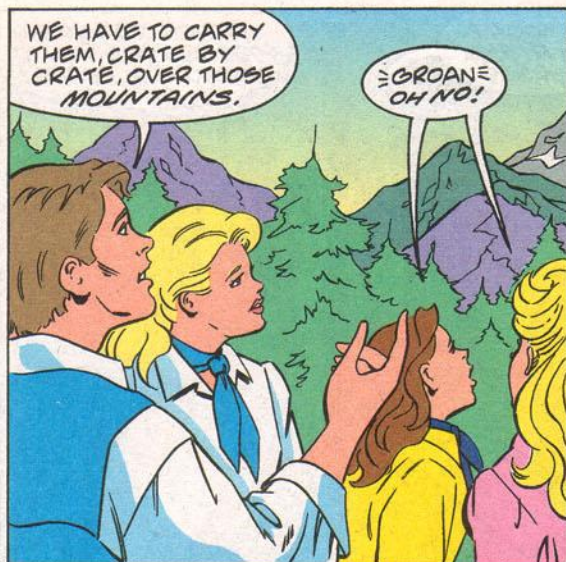
WE HAVE TO CARRY THEM ON OUR BACKS.

AND THAT'S NOT THE WORST PART.

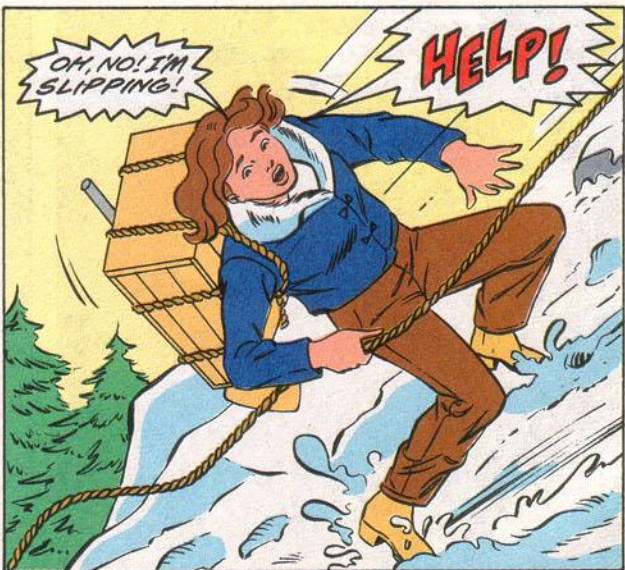
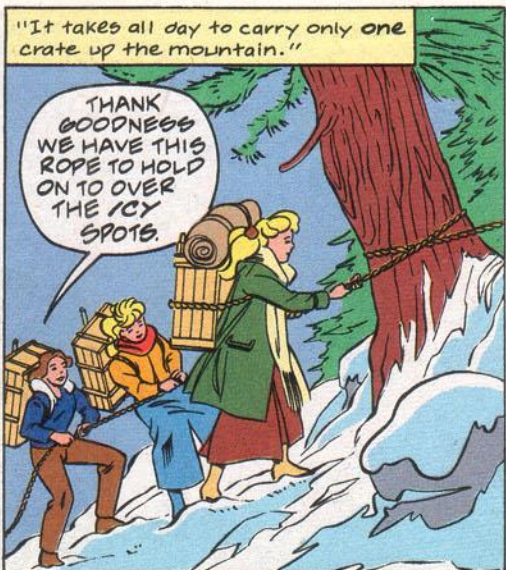
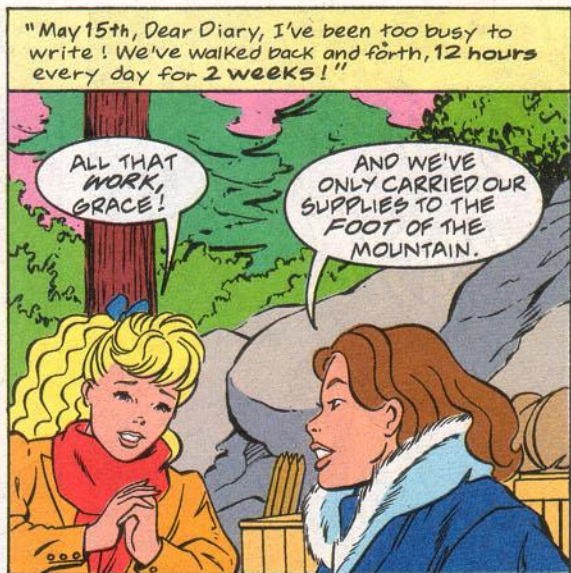
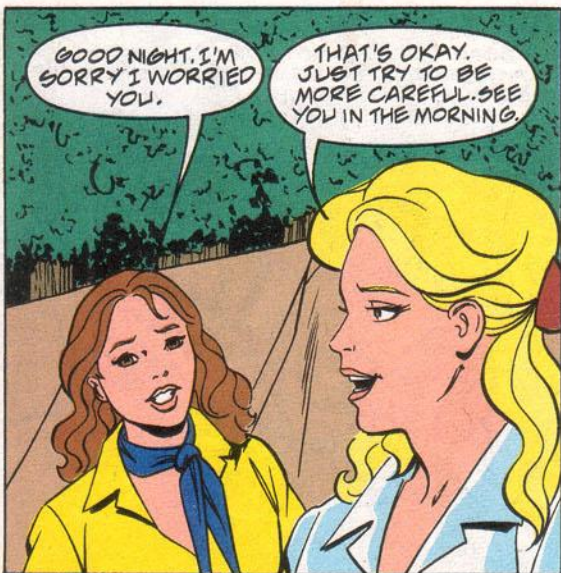
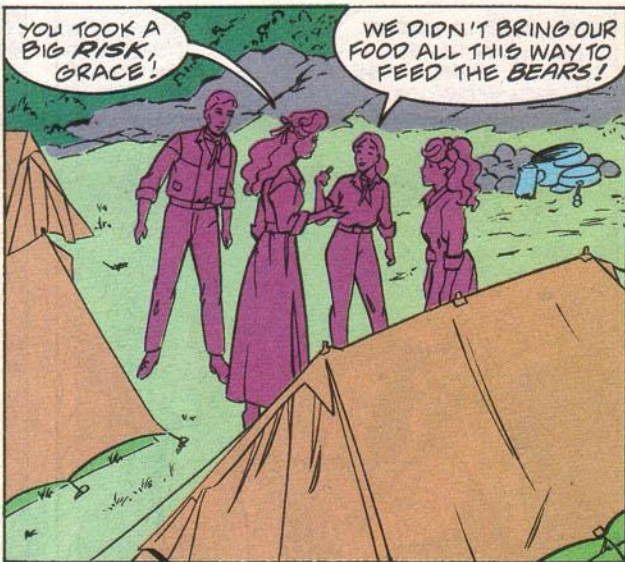
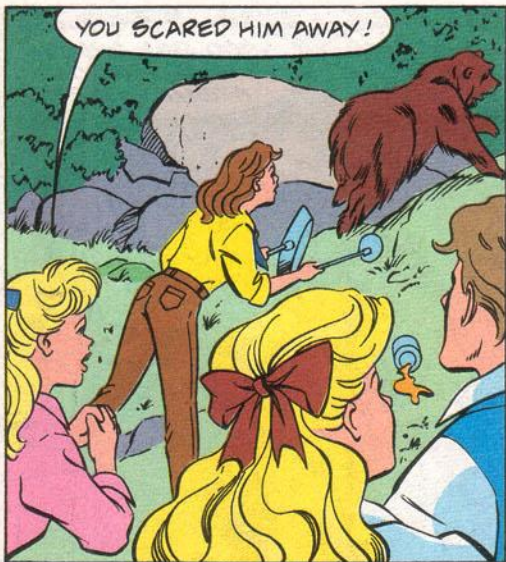
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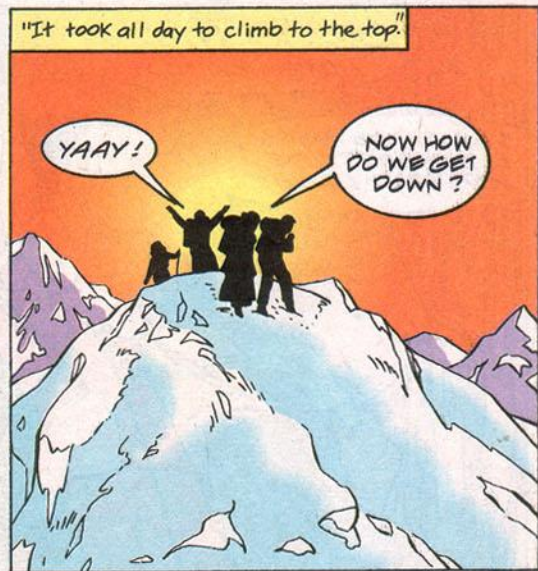














UNCLE CALEB SAID TO USE A CRATE TOP OR A SHOVEL.

OKAY  
LET'S  
SLIDE!

"Getting down the mountain was fun! It only took a few minutes."

WHEEE!

WHOOPIE!

May 20th  
Dear Diary,  
Every day is the same.  
From sunrise to  
sundown, we struggle  
up the mountain with  
our heavy food supplies.  
Today I wanted to  
give up!

THIS ADVENTURE  
IS TOO HARD.

REMEMBER WHY  
YOU'RE HERE,  
GRACE. IT'S NOT  
ONLY FOR ADVENTURE.  
IT'S TO HELP  
YOUR FAMILY.

I KNOW YOU'RE TIRED  
AND COLD, I BET YOU'RE  
HOMESICK, TOO.

I AM. I MISS MAMA'S  
BLACKBERRY PIE  
AND PAPA'S LAUGHTER.

GRACE! LOOK OVER THERE!



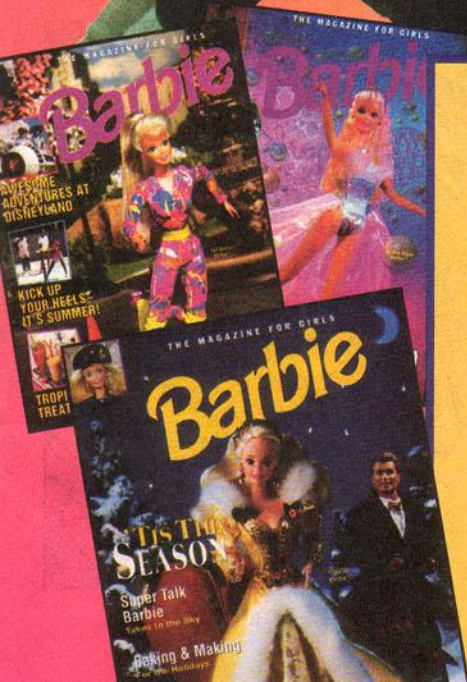
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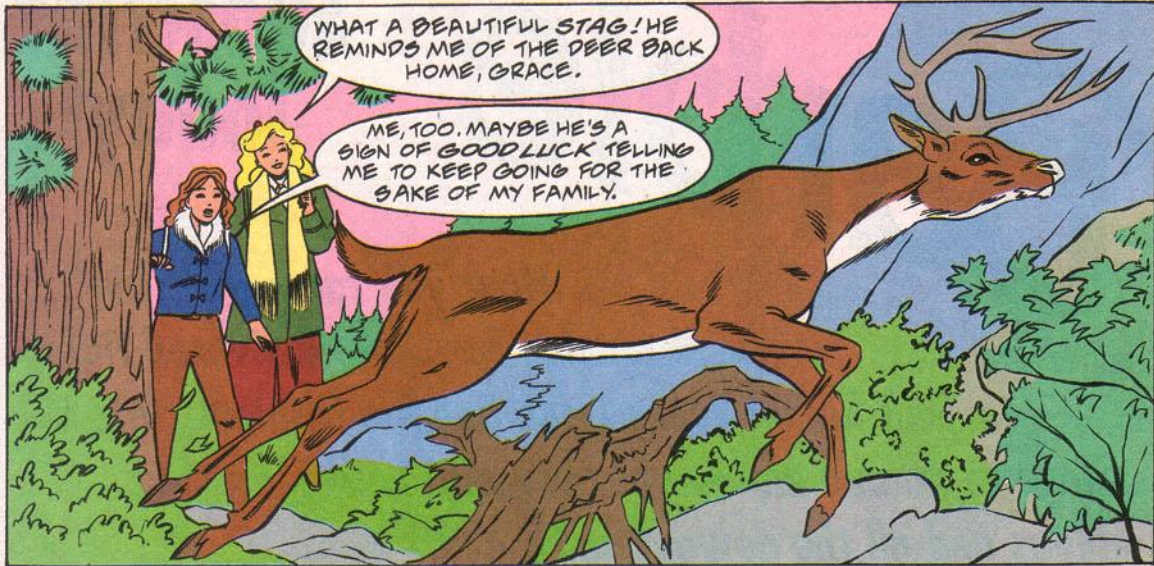
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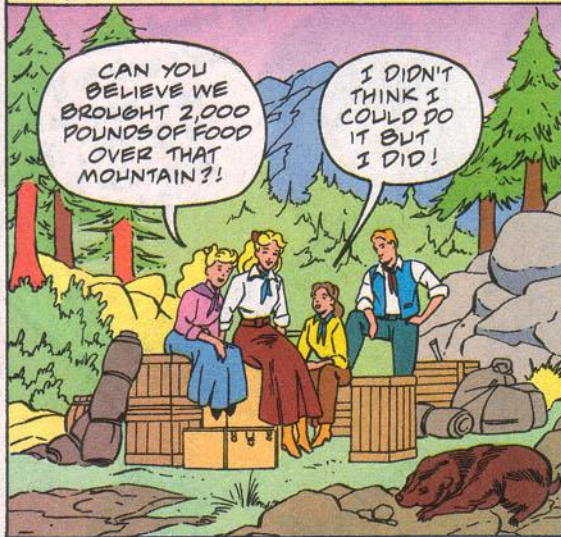
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" May 29th, Dear Diary, We finally made it !



"I wish I could say we were finished after all that! Instead, we spent a week building a flat boat to take us down the river!"

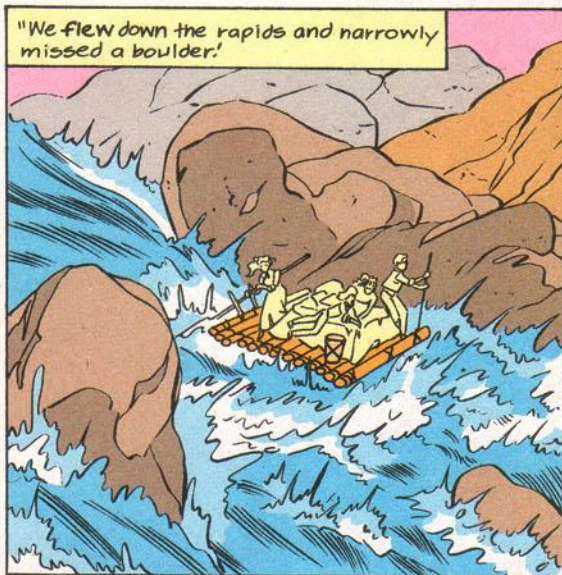






STAY LOW AND HOLD ON, GIRLS!

IT'S ROUGH WATER AHEAD!

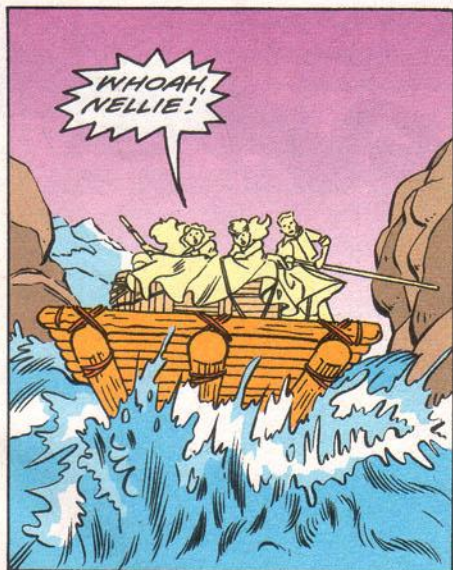


"We flew down the rapids and narrowly missed a boulder."



"Just when we thought we had seen the worst..."

MORE RAPIDS!



WHOA!, NELLIE!



THIS IS WILDER THAN A BUCKING BRONCO!

SLAP!



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GUESS WHO'S SWINGING INTO TOWN.



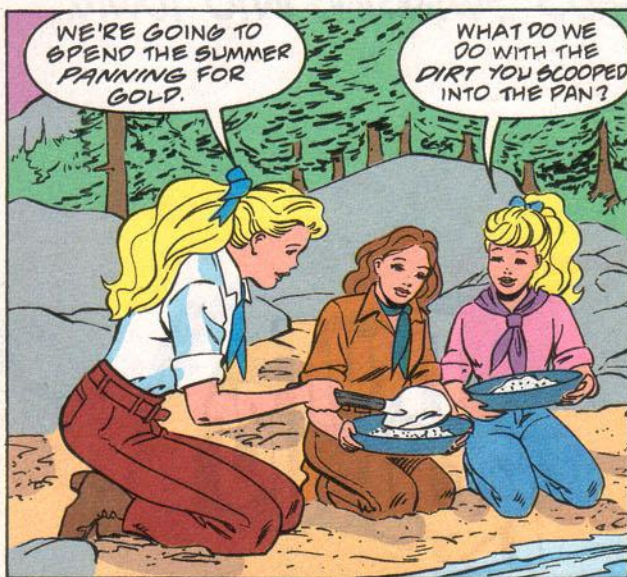
WITH SPIDER-MAN AND SECRET VILLAIN PEEL-OUTS.



"Dear Diary, we finally traveled the last miles and set up camp by a creek near the Klondike River.



"Searching for gold was different than I imagined it would be."





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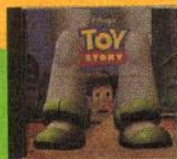
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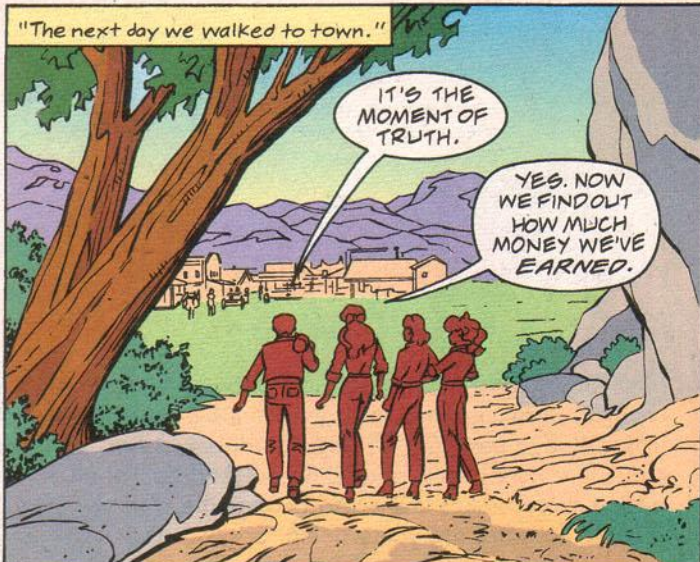
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"Day after day, from morning to night we panned for gold. We put every tiny flake into an enormous can. Finally at the end of September, the can was full."



"The next day we walked to town."



SOON...



"That night we celebrated..."



YOU ARE SPECIAL!

WE WORKED VERY HARD AND WE ACCOMPLISHED SO MUCH.



I SAY WE CELEBRATE WITH SOME TOE TAPPIN' AND KNEE SLAPPIN' FUN!

YAY FOR US!

WE DID IT AND WE'RE GOING HOME!



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# Golden Girl

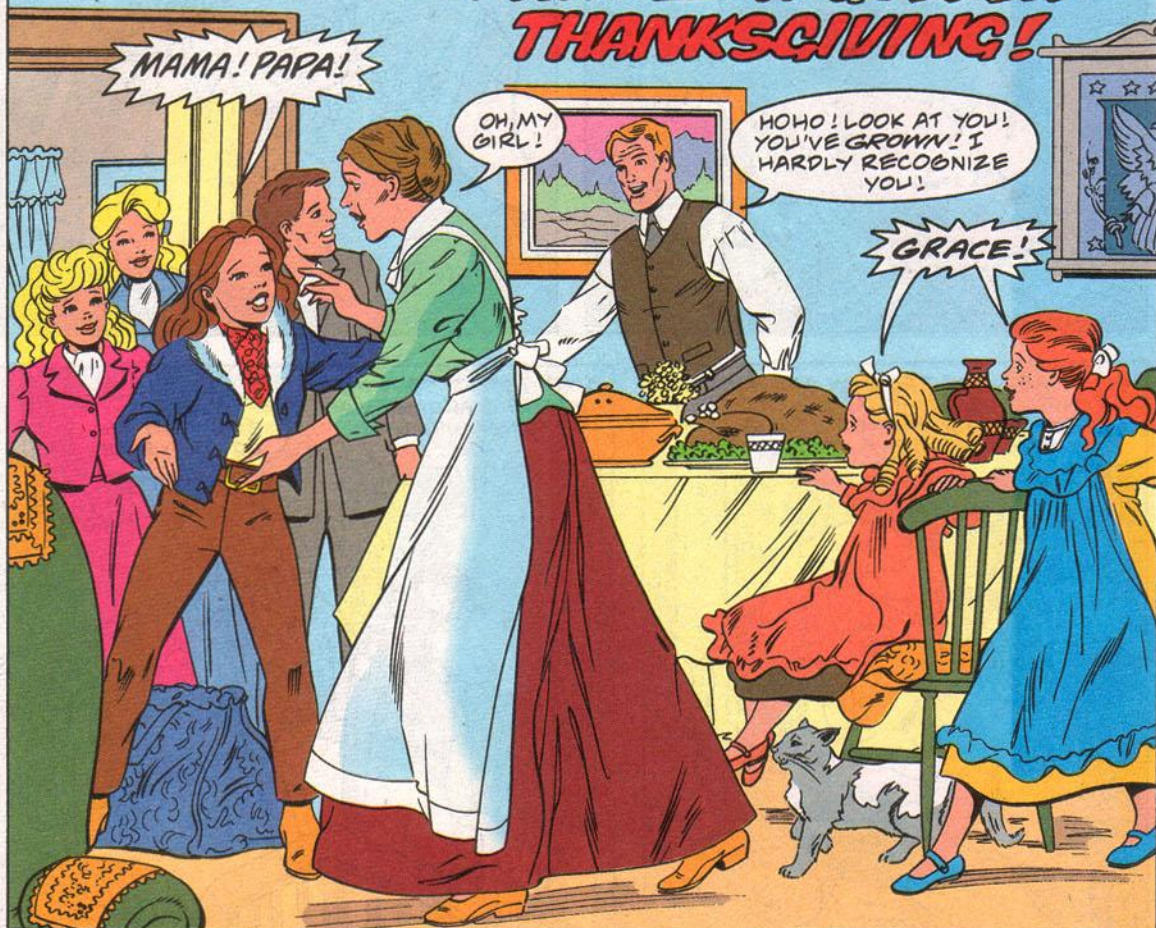
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MAMA! PAPA!

OH, MY GIRL!

HOHO! LOOK AT YOU! YOU'VE GROWN! I HARDLY RECOGNIZE YOU!

GRACE!



PLEASE SHARE THANKSGIVING DINNER WITH US.

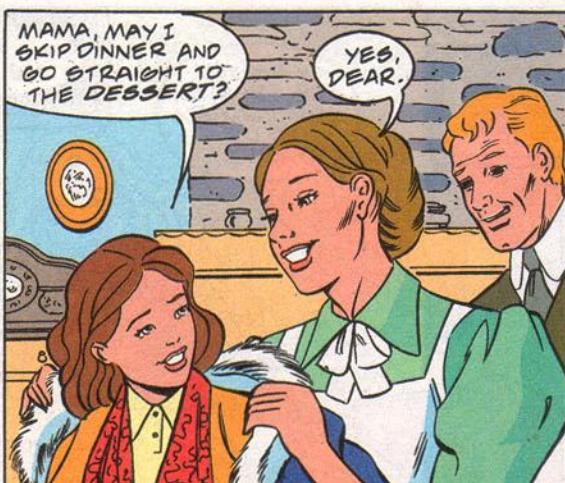
THANK YOU FOR BRINGING GRACE HOME SAFE!

THANK YOU, WE'D LIKE TO STAY.



MAMA, MAY I SKIP DINNER AND GO STRAIGHT TO THE DESSERT?

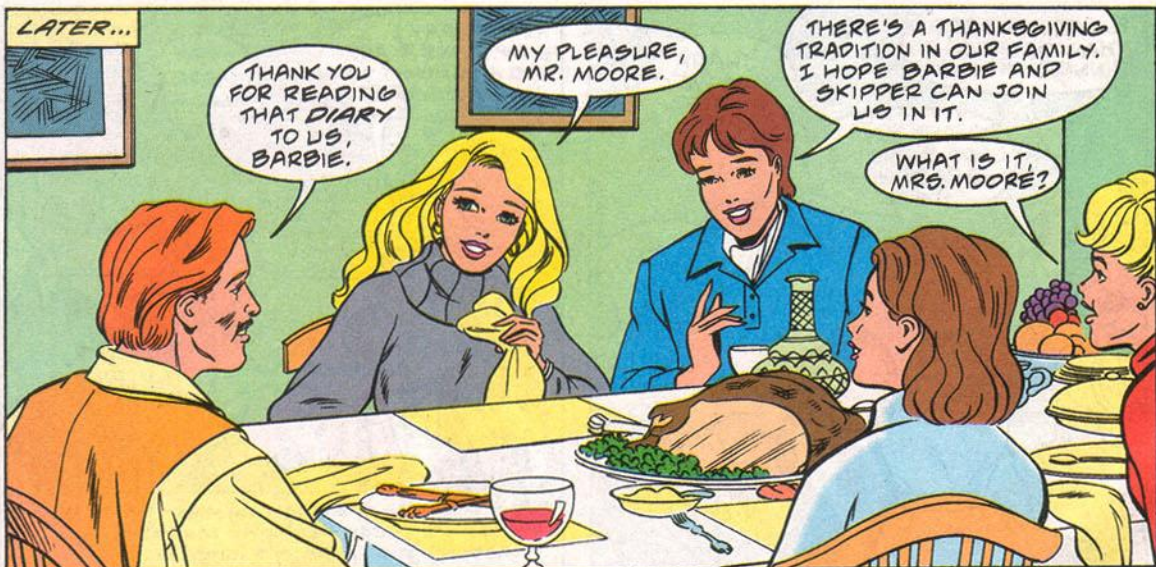
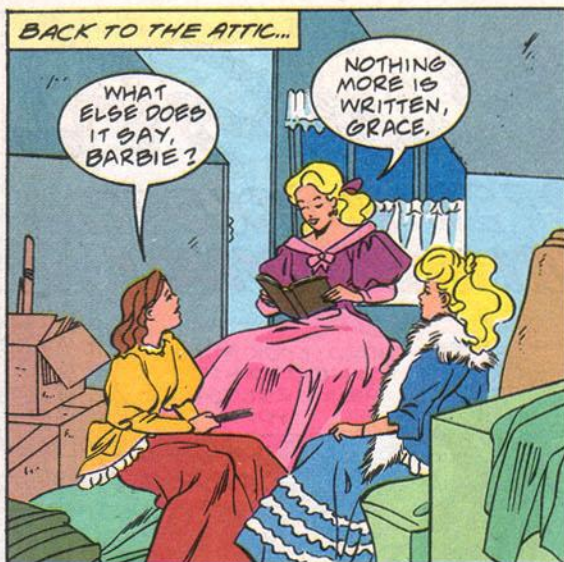
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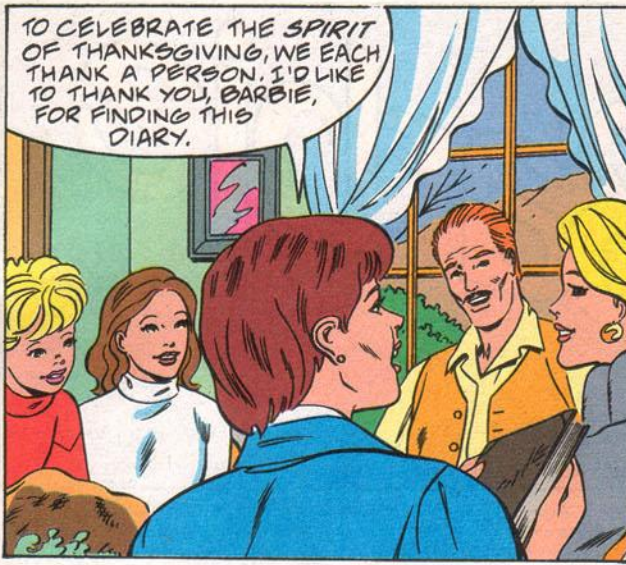
"Dear Diary -- Thanksgiving was especially sweet this year thanks to mama's blackberry pie and papa's laugh!"



BACK TO THE ATTIC...







TO CELEBRATE THE SPIRIT OF THANKSGIVING, WE EACH THANK A PERSON. I'D LIKE TO THANK YOU, BARBIE, FOR FINDING THIS DIARY.



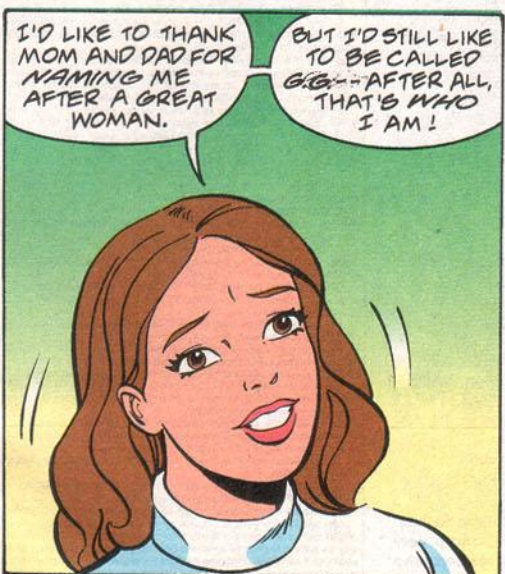
I LEARNED A LOT ABOUT MY FAMILY--WHY THE FARM IS NAMED "GOLD DUST," WHY A DEER IS A SIGN OF GOOD LUCK AND THAT MY GREAT GRANDMOTHER WAS STRONG AND BRAVE.



WELL, I'D LIKE TO THANK MY WONDERFUL FAMILY FOR BEING, ER... WONDERFUL!

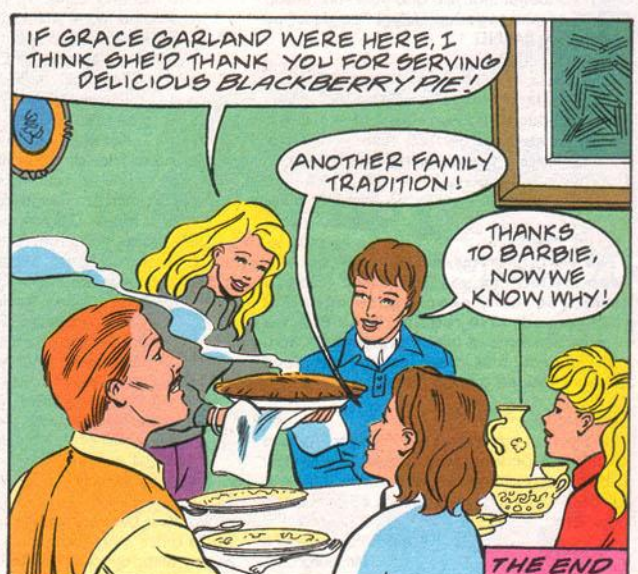


BARBIE AND I ARE THANKFUL THAT YOU'RE SUCH A GOOD COOK, MRS. MOORE!



I'D LIKE TO THANK MOM AND DAD FOR NAMING ME AFTER A GREAT WOMAN.

BUT I'D STILL LIKE TO BE CALLED G.B. AFTER ALL, THAT'S WHO I AM!



IF GRACE GARLAND WERE HERE, I THINK SHE'D THANK YOU FOR SERVING DELICIOUS BLACKBERRY PIE!

ANOTHER FAMILY TRADITION!

THANKS TO BARBIE, NOW WE KNOW WHY!

THE END



# LETTERS TO



# Barbie

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Hey, kids — Since we print your name, age, city and state, please include them on your letters.

Dear BARBIE Comics,

I am a mother of eight (one still at home), and grandmother of ten. I would like to thank you for the stories that you do, from cowgirls, trailblazers and romance to Thanksgiving and African adventures. They educate, teach caring, and reach history the fun way. They all say a girl can do anything she wants.

On behalf of all the mothers and grandmothers I know, thanks for these stories. Mom can say it a hundred times, but Barbie and Skipper only have to say it once — and they all listen. Keep up the great work!

Bernice Lea  
Salem, MO

Wow! Thanks so much for all the kind words, Ms. Lea! It means a lot to us to receive such high praise from a mother and grandmother. We're glad you and your family enjoy BARBIE comics and we're glad you wrote to us!

Dear BARBIE,

My name is Allyn. I am only 3½-years-old, but my mom and I always read BARBIE comics together. I love all of your clothes, and your beautiful long hair — my hair is really long, too.

My mom has started a collection of BARBIE comics for me. And I also collect Barbie dolls and clothes.

Allyn Nichole Ghahary, age 3½  
Paterson, NJ

It's wonderful that you and your mom read BARBIE comics together, Allyn! People of all ages enjoy BARBIE!

Dear BARBIE,

My sister urged me to read a BARBIE comic. At first, I thought I wouldn't like it at all. But the comic was really good! My sister loves your comics. Please keep making BARBIE comics (for my sister, of course!).

A Secret Admirer  
Pittsburgh, PA

We won't give your identity away, but why keep the fact that you like BARBIE comics a secret? So many people of all ages and backgrounds love reading BARBIE — we receive hundreds of letters every month from our wonderful fans. We hope you are proud to count yourself among them!

Dear BARBIE,

I love your adventures with Skipper. You are a very nice person. I wish I could be like you. I can't wait until I get my next comic. I have a lot of fun reading your comics. I have to go now. Bye.

Katie Schuetz, age 8  
Pittsburgh, PA

Lucky you, Katie, there will be a brand new issue of BARBIE comics available next month — and every month after that, as long as we have fans like you!

Dear BARBIE,

I am a big fan of yours. I have some of your comics. If I ever get bored, I read them over and over. I am 7 years old. I play Barbies, too. Sometimes I wonder how it feels to be a star. I think you are #1! Please write back.

Jennifer Bentley, age 7  
Dearborn, MI

We'd love to be able to respond personally to every letter we receive, Jennifer — they are all so much fun to read! But there's just not enough time to get back to the hundreds of fans who write to us each month! We do read and enjoy them all, and we hope you enjoy reading the few we have room to print here every month!

## BARBIE'S BIRTHDAY CORNER

Well, it's that time again! Time to wish many of our BARBIE readers a happy birthday!

- 11/1, Kim Caballero, Leming, TX, 11
- 11/4, Rebecca Vanard, San Diego, CA, 10
- 11/5, Brianna Carter, Flintstone, GA, 2
- 11/6, Kristina Marie Allen, Cranston, RI, 10
- 11/7, Stephanie Halinski, Landsdale, PA, 10
- 11/9, Huang Luu, Santa Clara, CA, 10
- 11/10, Ellen Smith, Mokena, IL, 33
- 11/15, Sarah Kimberly Whiting, Apalachin, NY, 11
- 11/17, Kall Neil, Greenville, PA, 8,
- & Christa Foerschner, Levittown, NY, 7
- 11/19, Lauren Lee, Washington Township, NJ, 12
- 11/20, Jennie Octavia Malone, TX, 6
- 11/21, Brandi Hampton, Scottsdale, AZ, 12,
- & Stephanie Farrell, Scottsdale, AZ, 9
- 11/22, Tina Brooks, Valley Stream, NY, 1,
- & Whitney Jones, Baxley, GA, 7
- 11/23, Julia Heczko, Hamilton, Ontario, Canada
- 11/24, Rainbeau, Northampton, NH
- 11/26, Arielle Rose, Brandy Stratton, VA, 6
- 11/28, Kenya Stidman, Mesa, AZ, 11
- 11/29, Amanda Burroughs, Bethpage, TN, 13,
- & Erin Milne, Poplar Grove, IL, 9
- 11/30, Eltie Jane, East Malaysia, 11,
- & Laura Sabatino, Valley Stream, NY, 25

Warmest birthday wishes to Barbie fashion page artist, Mort Todd, on 11/9, and a very happy birthday to all the BARBIE readers who

celebrate a birthday this month!

If you would like to see your name here, send your name, age, full address, and birthday to the address at the top of this page. Please send it to us at least six months ahead of time so we can be sure it gets into the correct issue!

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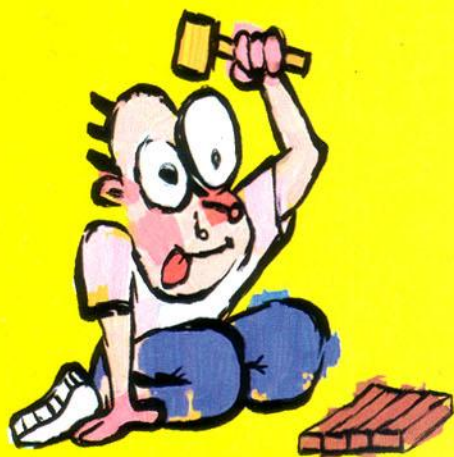
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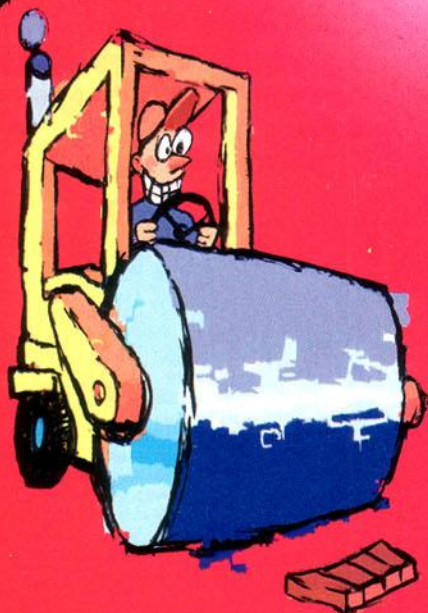
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